

AtriCure

Hybrid AFTM Therapies Summit

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Asklepios Klinikum
Harburg



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Welcome to the 6th Hybrid AF™ Therapies Summit

It is our pleasure to welcome you to the 6th Hybrid AF™ Therapies Summit at the Asklepios Klinikum Harburg.

The summit represents a fantastic opportunity to actively participate in a highly focused, multi-disciplinary event dedicated to contemporary and emerging approaches to treating your patients with arrhythmias.

The interest in Hybrid AF™ Therapies is growing. There is increasing evidence that the Hybrid procedure, by combining epicardial and endocardial ablation techniques, represents a solid solution in addressing unmet clinical needs in arrhythmia treatment, from advanced forms of atrial fibrillation to inappropriate sinus tachycardia. Every day, more and more cardiac surgeons, electrophysiologists and cardiologists are

partnering to offer their patients the most diverse and complete range of therapeutic options.

AtriCure is proud to facilitate this event. You will have the opportunity to hear from an international faculty, exchange your experiences and engage in meaningful discussions with your peers to further advance Hybrid AF™ Therapies development and offer your patients effective treatment options.

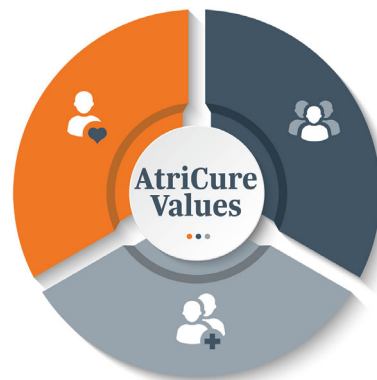
Our team is honored to support this world-class event which aligns directly with our mission 'at AtriCure we are passionately focused on reducing the global atrial fibrillation epidemic and healing the lives of those affected by complex arrhythmias and pain after surgery.'

Enjoy the Summit!

About AtriCure

As a **leading provider** of innovative technologies for the treatment of **atrial fibrillation (AF)** and related conditions, electrophysiologists and cardiothoracic surgeons around the globe count on AtriCure to deliver **best-in-class solutions** that can treat even the most complex cases.

We invest in innovation, clinical science, and education to focus on improving lives for our patients worldwide.



Mission

We are passionately focused on reducing the global AF epidemic and healing the lives of those affected by complex arrhythmias and pain after surgery.



Values

We work to heal the lives of Patients, empower our People, and collaborate with our Partners to reduce the burden of AF worldwide.

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Meeting Objectives



Learn

from experts how Hybrid AF™ Therapies are shaping new standards of care in AF treatment.



Discuss

case reports and real-world experiences with your peers.



Exchange

views on the potential of multi-disciplinary care for persistent and long-standing persistent AF patients.

2018: London
2019: Amsterdam
2020: Virtual
2021: Barcelona
2022: Paris
2023: Hamburg

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Eißendorfer Pferdeweg 52,
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Agenda (1/2)

08:30 Welcome Message

Geoff Stevens – Senior VP EMEA & Asia-Pacific, AtriCure BV
Thorsten Hanke, MD – Asklepios Klinikum Harburg, Hamburg, Germany

08:45 Epicardial / Endocardial Strategies for Advanced AF Treatment

Thorsten Hanke, MD – Asklepios Klinikum Harburg, Hamburg, Germany
Konstantin Krieger, MD – Asklepios Klinikum Harburg, Hamburg, Germany

- **Progresses and Challenges in Advanced AF Treatment**
Claudio Tondo, MD – Centro Cardiologico Monzino, Milano, Italy
- **The Complexity of Activation Patterns in Persistent Forms of AF**
Randall Lee, MD – University of California, San Francisco, USA
- **What Recent Studies Tell Us About LAPWI**
Riyaz Kaba, MD – St George's Hospital, London, UK
- **The Role of Hybrid Ablation at the Times of PFA Revolution**
Nitesh Sood, MD – Southcoast Health, Fall River, USA
- **Hybrid Ablation Evidence**
Nicolas Doll, MD – Schüchtermann Klinik, Bad Rothenfelde, Germany

Panel Discussion

10:45 Coffee Break

11:15 Why the LAA Should Be Incorporated During a Hybrid Procedure: the Role of LAA in AF

Syed Ahsan, MD – St Bartholomew's Hospital, London, UK

11:35 The Hybrid AF™ Convergent Therapy

Jaswinder Gill, MD – Guy's and St Thomas' Hospitals, London, UK
Konstantinos Zannis, MD – Institut Mutualiste Montsouris, Paris, France

- **From the Surgeon Point of View: Technique and Lesion Set**
Thomas Barker, MD – University Hospital of Coventry and Warwickshire, Coventry, UK
- **From the EP Point of View: Managing Patients After an Epicardial Ablation**
Faizel Osman, MD – University Hospital of Coventry and Warwickshire, Coventry, UK
- **What I Understood by Mapping in the OR**
Nitesh Sood, MD – Southcoast Health, Fall River, USA
- **Why I Treat De Novo Patients**
Eduardo Celentano, MD – Humanitas Gavazzeni, Bergamo, Italy
- **How to Reduce Peri-Operative Complications Risk**
Christoph Thomas Starck, MD – German Heart Center of Charité, Berlin, Germany

Panel Discussion

Agenda (2/2)

13:00 Lunch

14:00 Physicians-Patients Interactions in the Age of Social Media

Edin Smailhodzic—University of Groningen, Groningen, the Netherlands

14:30 **The Hybrid Total Thoracoscopic Ablation Therapy**

Manuela Cireddu, MD—IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele, Milano, Italy

Elisabetta Lapenna, MD—IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele, Milano, Italy

- **From the Surgeon Point of View: Technique and Lesion Set**
Bart van Putte, MD—St. Antonius Hospital, Nieuwegein, the Netherlands
- **From the EP Point of View: Managing Patients After an Epicardial Ablation**
David Filgueiras Rama, MD—Hospital Clínico San Carlos, Madrid, Spain
- **Why Considering the All-Box-Clamp Technique**
Timo Weimar, MD—Cardiac Surgeon, Stuttgart, Germany
- **Why Thinking About Single-Stage, Unilateral Approach**
Mark La Meir, MD—University Hospital, Brussels, Belgium
- **How to Face the Challenges of Treating High BMI Patients**
Manuel Carnero Alcázar, MD—Hospital Clínico San Carlos, Madrid, Spain

Panel Discussion

16:00 Hybrid Sinus Node Sparing: Principles and Perspectives

Carlo de Asmundis, MD—University Hospital, Brussels, Belgium

16:30 Closing & Departures

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General Information

Group Dinner

An optional group dinner will take place at the **Privathotel Lindtner** on **November 30th at 19:30**.

Please confirm your attendance to the dinner and mention any dietary requirements you may have to our events team.

Event Day

The Hybrid AF™ Therapies Summit will take place at **Asklepios Klinikum Harburg**, **Media rooms 1-4**, **located on the ground floor**.

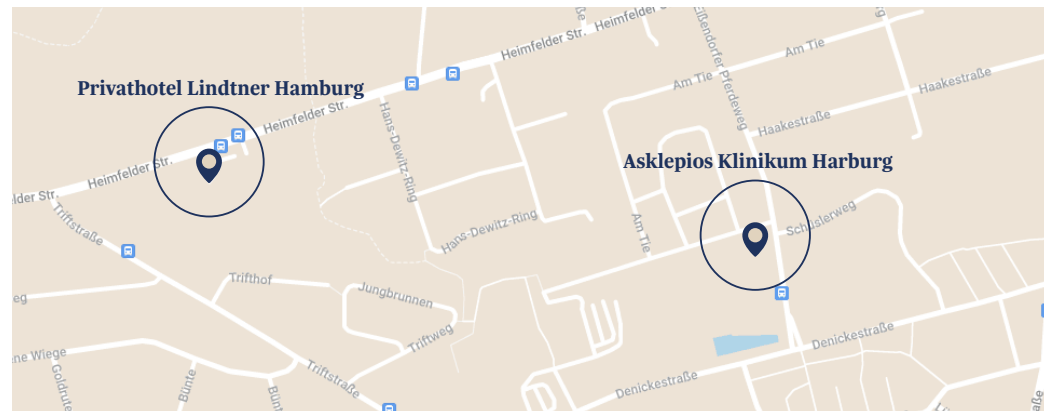
You will receive a welcome pack on arrival including your badge and lanyard, please bring this with you to the clinic on Friday to gain access.

Onsite Support

For onsite support, please visit the **Welcome Desk** anytime during the summit or contact our **events team**.

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The meeting is within walking distance of the hotel, but transportation is organized. Buses will depart from the reception of Privathotel Lindtner at **08:00**. After the event, there will be return transportation to the hotel. **Due to space restrictions onsite, please be advised that luggage must be left at the hotel and collected on return after the event finishes.**



Hotel

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Heimfelder Straße 123
21075 Hamburg, Germany

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What if you could easily access to

- The most relevant **clinical data** on Hybrid AF?
- Resources for interacting with **your referrals**?
- Outstanding **patient education** materials?
- A comprehensive **training program** offer?

All of this, and much more on



See the Instructions for Use for detailed information regarding the indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions, and potential adverse events. For more information, please contact your AtriCure representative and visit AtriCure.com

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